STATE OF NEVADA BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR SOCIAL WORKERS

4600 Kietzke Lane, Suite C121, Reno, Nevada 89502 775-688-2555

PUBLIC NOTICE OF BOARD VIDEOCONFERENCE MEETING

Friday, December 8, 2006 9:30 a.m.
Office of Attorney General
Grant Sawyer State Office Building
555 E. Washington Avenue, Suite 4500
Las Vegas, Nevada 89101

Some members of the Board may be attending the meeting and other persons may observe the meeting and provide testimony, through a simultaneous videoconference conducted at the following location:

Mock Courtroom
100 N. Carson Street
Carson City, NV 89701

Please Note: The Board of Examiners for Social Workers may address agenda items out of sequence to accommodate persons appearing before the Board or to aid the efficiency or effectiveness of the meeting.

The Board may convene in closed session to consider the character, alleged misconduct, professional competence or physical or mental health of a person. (NRS 241.030)

Public comment is welcomed by the Board, but will be heard only when that item is reached and will be limited to five minutes per person. A public comment time will also be available as the last item on the agenda. The President may allow additional time to be given a speaker as time allows and in his/her sole discretion. Once all items on the agenda are completed the meeting will adjourn.

* Denotes items on which Board may take action. Action by the Board on an item may be to approve, deny, amend, or table.

AGENDA

1. *Call to order/Roll/Approve agenda

CONSENT AGENDA

The Consent Agenda contains matters of routine acceptance. The Board Members may approve the consent agenda items as written or, at their discretion, may address individual items for discussion or change.

- 2. *Consent Agenda
 - A. Licensure/Internship Applications
 - 1. *Ratification of Approved License Applications (Attachment 1)
 - 2. *Ratification of Denied License Applications (Attachment 1)
 - 3. *Ratification of Approval of Internship Applications (Attachment 1)
 - 4. *Ratification of Denied Internship Applications (Attachment 1)
 - B. Continuing Education
 - 1. *Ratification of Approved Continuing Education Programs
 - 2. *Ratification of Denied Continuing Education Programs

REGULAR AGENDA

- 3. Disciplinary Matters
 - A. *Consideration and Discussion of Consent Decree
 - 1. * Charles Hare, LSW 4412-S Case G06-06
 - B. *Recommendation to Dismiss Case G05-03
 - C. Disciplinary Report
- 4. Deputy Attorney General Report
- 5. Licensure, Intern, and Application Issues
 - A. *Request for clarification regarding mandated reporting of child abuse and elder abuse by forensic social workers who are working in Public Defenders Offices, Law Projects or other legal settings
- 6. Policy and Procedures
 - A. *Policy regarding fingerprints cards rejected two times by FBI and/or NHP
- 7. Legislative and Regulatory Issues
 - A. Discussion of proposed legislation for the 2007 session that may affect the Board
 - 1. Proposed BDRs specific to Boards including, but not limited to, possible changes to NRS 622 and open meeting laws
 - 2. Proposed BDRs that may impact social work licensing laws including various possible changes to involuntary admission; mental health bills
- 8. Continuing Education
 - A. Requests for re-evaluation of denial
 - 1. *Certified Addictionologist Program- Modules 5 and 8 906-06
 - 2. *The Role of Early Developmental Reflexes in Childhood Play Therapy 1006-19
- 9. Association of Social Work Boards (ASWB); Federation of Associations of Regulatory Boards (FARB); National Association of Social Workers (NASW)
 - A. Report by Ann Coleman regarding the ASWB Fall Education meeting
 - B. * Discussion and action regarding whether to send a delegate the FARB meeting
- 10. Update on Board retreat assignments
 - Report by Randy Reinoso regarding Board short term and long term goals and objectives
 - B. Report by Sandy Lowery regarding Board member ethics, Board member roles and responsibilities, and Board function
- 11. Presiding Officer's Comments
- 12. Board Operations
 - A. *Approval of Bi-yearly report of the Board's Activity required by NRS 622.110
 - B. *Approval of Minutes for September 8, 2006 and October 13, 2006
 - C. Financial Report
 - 1. *Approve 2005/2006 Audit
 - 2. *Approve 2006/2007 Budget

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- D. Executive Directors Report
 - 1. Matters related to the office management
 - 2. Personnel Matters
 - 3. Other Matters of Interest to the Board

13. Public Comment

Note: No vote may be taken upon a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken. (NRS 241.020)

14. *Adjournment

Anyone desiring additional information regarding the meeting is invited to call the Board office at (775) 688-2555.

We are pleased to make reasonable accommodations for members of the public who are disabled and wish to attend the meeting. If special arrangements for the meeting are necessary, please notify the Board of Examiners for Social Workers, 4600 Kietzke Lane, C121, Reno, Nevada 89502, or call (775) 688-2555, as soon as possible.

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This notice has been posted at the office of the Board of Examiners for Social Workers; the Board's Web Page www.socwork.nv.gov; Office of the Attorney General; Carson City; Office of the Attorney General, Las Vegas and the following locations:

Washoe County Social Services , 1001 East Ninth Street, Reno, Nevada Clark County Social Services, 1600 Pinto Lane, Las Vegas, Nevada University of Nevada, Las Vegas, School of Social Work, Las Vegas, Nevada University of Nevada, Reno, School of Social Work, Anasari Business Building, Reno, Nevada

LICENSE APPLICATIONS

Attachment 1

<u>Approvals</u>			
David Eddy	5074-C	Sonia Ward	5097-S
Megan Jackson	5075-S	Jessie Cohen	5098-S
LaShonda Moore	5076-S	Debra Kozel	5099-S
Edward Paige	5077-S	Colleen Murphy	5100-S
Ellen Frias-Wilcox	5078-S	Jana Cerullo	5101-C
Rhonda Hornsby	5079-S	Kenneth Stewart	5102-C
Amber Thomas	5080-S	Russell Weathersby	5103-C
Crystal Rosas	5081-S	Edward Dewitt	5104-S
Misty Bruderer	5082-S	Susan Johnson	5105-S
Lourdes Davila	5083-S	Amanda Gordon	5106-S
Diana Brown	5084-C	Linda Kavouras	5107-S
Latoyia Griffin	5085-C	Clarence Parrott	5108-S
Steven Linde	5086-C	Andrea Wicker	5109-S
Lauren Soskin	5087-S	Jennifer Woozley	5110-C
Callan Barrett	5088-S	Natalia King	5111-S
Angela Stover(Dea)	5089-S	Toni McCormick	5112-S
Kathy Williams	5090-C	Yoke Szerszen	5113-S
Steven Canale	5091-S	Karlene Ulibarri	5114-S
Lynne Rensmon	5092-S	Julie Harris	5115-C
Corey Taylor	5093-S	Ayele Amavigan-Houm	ey 5116-S
Connie Cox	5094-C	Cheryl Bowles	5117-N
John Abdullah-Hasan	5095-C	Shirley King	5118-S
Jean Fajardo	5096-C	Jack Green	5119-S
		Cheryl Sprenger	5120-S

<u>Denials</u>

Amy Sanderson	LSW Applicant	No social work degree
William Woodson	LSW Applicant	No social work degree
Sandra Beckett	LSW Renewal	Did not complete required

Sandra Beckett
Dorcas Block
Bobby Vaughn

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Did not complete required continuing education
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Provisional Approvals

Edward DeWitt	722P-S	(A)
Amanda Gordon	723P-S	(A)
Susan Johnson	724P-S	(A)
Natalia King	725P-S	(A)

INTERNSHIP APPLICATIONS Approvals

<u>Name</u>	<u>Number</u>	Supervisor	Site
Paul Kane	IC-483	Joann Lujan, LCSW	FACT
Loretta Klem	IC-484	Tim Hamilton, LCSW	SAFE NEST
Romya Turner	IC-485	Gwendolyn Smith, LCSW	DCFS
Jettie Blanton	IC-486	Sandra Allen, LCSW	Montevisita
Melissa Simon	IC-487	Barbara Dubin, LCSW	Spring Mountain
David Kale	IC-488	Tracy Cassity	Rural Clinics
Callan Barrett	IC-489	Clay Poplin	Rural Clinics
Mandy Hall	IC-490	Elaine Alessandro	Rural Clinics
Jennifer Duran	IC-491	Linda Farrar	VA Hospital
Maureen Cvach	IC-492	Ann Marie Abruscato	Mojave
Heidi Bucklev	IC-493	Terri Hamrick	Moiave

Denials None this period